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REPLICATION OF HIV

LETTER

Assistant Commissioner
of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

August 13, 1997

Sir:

Enclosed herewith is a Verified Statement (Declaration)
Claiming Small Entity Status (37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9(f) and 1.27(c)) -
Small Business Concern (X Original ___ Photocopy) which should
be made part of the record of the present application.

Respectfully submitted,

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ATTENTION: Refund Section
Accounting Division
OFFICE OF FINANCE

REQUEST FOR A REFUND OF 50% OF THE FILING FEE

Honorable Commissioner of Patents
and Trademarks
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Sir:

The following documentation and remarks are respectfully
submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

DOCUMENTATION

Attached hereto is copy of an executed Verified Statement
Claiming Small Entity Status (37 C.F.R. § 1.9(f) and 1.27(c)) -
Small Business Concern filed on even date herewith under separate
cover.

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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.28(a), applicant hereby requests a
refund of 50% of the Filing Fee. Small entity status has been

established by the filing of a verified statement on even date herewith.

Small entity applicants may now file the necessary Verified Statement within two (2) months of the date of payment of any particular fee and request a refund. Attached hereto is a copy of the Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status as a Small Business Concern. The present application qualifies for the reduced fees as implemented by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on October 1, 1982, and further amended on January 20, 1983.

The present application was filed on March 26, 1997 with a filing fee of \$1,388.00. It is respectfully requested that the excess fee of \$694.00 be credited to Deposit Account No. 02-2448.

Favorable action on the present Request is respectfully requested.

Please charge any fees or credit any overpayment pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 or 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 02-2448.

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